CITY OF COLUMBIA
ARTS AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMITTEE
MEETING REPORT
JANUARY 14, 2014 –11:00 A.M.
CITY HALL 2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
1737 MAIN STREET



The Columbia City Council conducted an Arts and Historic Preservation Committee Meeting on Tuesday, January 14, 2013 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room located at 1737 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina. The Honorable Moe Baddourah (Chair) called the meeting to order at 11:20 a.m. The Honorable Brian DeQuincey Newman was present. The Honorable Leona K. Plaugh was absent.

## **COMMITTEE DISCUSSIONS**

- 1. Mill Village Museum Presentation Ms. Sherry Jaco *This item was deferred*.
- 2. One Columbia Update Mr. Lee Snelgrove, Executive Director of One Columbia

Mr. Lee Snelgrove, Executive Director of One Columbia presented the committee with an overview of One Columbia and their recent endeavors. He outlined the upcoming events to include One Book, One Columbia and public art initiative. There has been interest in other parts of the city to display public art. One Columbia is currently working with the city to evaluate other areas and find suitable locations. They have a selection committee in place to help with the selection of mediums and artists. There was a sense that once more pieces go public there will be more interest.

Councilor Baddourah suggested that the committee take into account the history of the area when deciding what mediums to use. He also suggested partnerships with Heyward Career Center's welding class and art students at University of South Carolina as possible artists.

■ The committee adjourned the meeting at 11:46 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

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